MATCH REPORT

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GAMES PLAYED

Sat 29 and Sun 30 April 2017

WELCOME FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Families, players, friends,

It is my pleasure to welcome you all back to Belmont Junior Football Club for the 2017 season. For those families new to the club we extend a special welcome. Our Auskick programs are critical to the growth of our membership and a huge thanks in advance to all those parent volunteers of this program. We hope you all enjoy becoming part



Some of our new and continuing initiatives include:

- Coach Mentor program led by our Level 2 coaches Darren Byng and Trent McDougall.
- · High Performance Programs led by Paul McGrath
- School clinics in the Belmont District running throughout the year.
- Pathways to Perth Development Teams and continued Player development both on and off the field.
- Implementation of a BJFC Football Development Academy which be overseen Leigh Searle and our high performance coach Paul McGrath.
- Regular themes at our Canteen on Thursday nights –
 Pizza, soup, pasta nights just to name a few.
- New-look BJFC logo will be rolled through the season.

This will be another exciting year as we continue to grow our club through hard work and commitment to the BJFC cause.

Our Executive would like to sincerely thank all General Committee members, parents, players, sponsors and supporters of our great club as we aim to continue to build upon the solid foundations of those who have come before us to ensure that our traditions and values remain strong. There is a great spirit and family atmosphere at the club which serves a greater purpose than just the children playing football.

Belmont Junior Football Club is administered by some committed and talented volunteers and it is important that this group is continually expanded upon year to year to keep the club moving forward and progressive. There are numerous opportunities at the club for volunteers to become involved and make a difference and I would welcome all parents willing to contribute further to our great club to contact either myself or one of the current executive. Without volunteers the club cannot run and our kids can't play, so on match day or otherwise please get involved and enjoy the journey with your children. Sharing the smiles on their faces is payment enough to any volunteer.

We hope you enjoy the 2017 season and watch this space for more exciting things to come.

GO BOMBERS!

Jeff Mullen President

(on behalf of the committee)



PRE PRIMARY

Coach: Daniel Richmond
Assistant Coach: Clinton Woosnam
Manager: Teagan Paravinici

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Coach: Peter Hartley | Assistant Coach Ryan | Manager: Kelli Dalton

Our very excited Year 2 Auskickers showed excellent skills and teamwork in their first game. We have a strong group of players with great parent support. This will no doubt set us up for an enjoyable season. Well done to Zack and Cash on receiving awards. **Kelli**



Coach: Jason Schmelzkopf | Manager: Andrea Bellis

TEAM RED

Our **Yr 3 Red Team** took to the field for their first real experience at modified football and all performed with passion and enthusiasm. Our on field communication was excellent and with a little more focus on positional play and supporting the ball carrier, we'll really start kicking some goals! A special mention to Fynn for a great first game at both ends of the field. Isaac G for kicking the team's first goal for the season and to Josiah for getting in under the pack! Keep up the great work team!

Coach: Michael Tanner | Assistant Coach: Gwain Osbourne | Manager: Lorena Alfonsio-Tanner

TEAM BLACK

Well the boys in **Yr 3 Black Team** got off to a flying start, and even though we aren't keeping scores it was clear to all that we had a convincing win. The boys should all be proud of the team effort they put into their first game of the season. Special thanks goes to those boys who volunteered to swap jumpers on the day, allowing Vic Park to have a better spread on the field. Best On Ground this week goes to Joseph King for his impressive tackling and defensive work on the backline in taking on the bigger targets, **well done... Mick Tanner & Gawain Osborne.**

YEAR 4'S

Coach: Geoff Tilbee Assistant Coach: Leigh Searle Manager: Annette Johns

TEAM RED

What a beautiful day for our kids first game back this season, 2017! It was fantastic to see the kids back on the field, taking on South Perth Gold in a ripper home game. The first half was anyone's game with both side playing extremely well. The second half unfortunately saw South Perth take the upper hand, but our kids defended hard and put in a huge effort. Although we didn't walk away with the win, they played well together as a team and it felt like they took off from where they ended at the end of last season. It was great to see the kids show such great sportsmanship, with their positive and encouraging words to team mates was. It is clear from Saturday's game that 2017 is going to be a exciting year for the Year 4 Red team.

Great work everyone!

Coach: Mick Stirling | Manager: Lee Temo

TEAM BLACK

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POSITIONS VACANT

- Auskick Coordinator
- **Events Coordinator**

The club relies on our fantastic volunteers, it's a great way to get involved and it's only a few hours.

Any time you can spare please contact Jeff Mullen: president@belmontifc.com.au

YEAR 5'S

Coach: Rob Sant

Assistant Coach: Steve Temby

Manager:

This weekend Bombers five battled out a tit for tat game against Vicpark blue on their turf. It was a thrilling match to watch two teams with the same game brand play, that in the end our boy's persistence and game discipline dominated by 3 points.

It was pleasing to see the players improve quarter after quarter, to communicate, to support team mates and to solidify into a dynamic team. It is also a credit to their hard work on improving their fitness and skills established in a tough pre-season. Well done to Charlie to lead the team as captain.

Thanks to all the parents who wonderfully supported their kids and those that went the extra and helped out where they could. A Special mention to Steve, Mark and Sean running an effective interchange.

See you all this week, Rob

YEAR &'S

Coach: Paul McGarth
Assistant Coach: Jeff Mullen
Manager: Leanne Taylor

Well done to the Year 6 playing group for your first game of the 2017 season. The overall game was played in very good spirit from both of the teams and had some very good passages of play> It was unlucky that we couldn't keep score but we only went down by 7 points against the strong competitors; Lynwood/Ferndale.

Guys, your attack on the ball was very good; your tackling was very clean and we didn't give away too many free kicks. We received quite a few for the pressure you put on the opposition team when they had the ball – no backchat to the umpire, right or wrong was a great sign of game maturity for junior players.

I did notice our marking of the ball was very strong on the field. Year 6's I'm very pleased with your energy, positive attitudes and manners on and off the field.

I would like to thank all the parents for your support through the game on and off the field.

A special thanks to Darren with your coaching on the side line with the team, also to Jeff and Leanne for your help and input with my first game; it was muchly appreciated.

Paul McGrath (Lardy)

YEAR 7'S

Coach: Trent McDougall
Assistant Coach: Garry Clegg
Manager: Andrea Primerano

Finally the season was underway after a long pre season which included coach Trent injuring his knee again whilst making a playing comeback for Belmont Senior Football.

A couple of new faces in the team and a couple of old faces from Auskick days joined the team this year to partly offset the loss of a few from last years successful Year 6 team.

Out first game against local rivals Victoria park started well with the team dominating most of the play and holding almost a 2 goal lead at half time in a low scoring game. Vic park came out after half time and dominated the 3rd quarter scoring 3 goals and taking the lead. The team picked up their game in the last quarter regaining the lead, however we could not get that extra goal to secure the game, enabling Vic Park to score a last minute winner and win by 2 points.

It was a good hit out for the first game of the year and with everyone getting down to training we should see the results improve as the season proceeds. Lets practice that marking and straight kicking as well as listen to Trent, Jim and Gary.

Well done to the all the helpers who set up the game day equipment and run the game. For our first game on the big field every thing went very smoothly.

Next game, away: Sunday 9am, Maddington at Harmony Fields.

YEAR 8'S

Darren Byng | Coach Ian McPherson | Assistant Coach | Manager

The first game of the year was a tough one for our team on a warm day with no players to rotate through the interchange. We played quite well up until half time and then our level of effort fell away during the second half.

We will do better by concentrating on what we can achieve both individually and as a team by not worrying about what players from the opposition team are doing that is annoying. Another key area we need to improve quickly is being accountable for an opposition player and knowing where they are at all times.

If we are prepared to work hard at training, learn from our mistakes and adapt we will improve and play a better brand of football. Looking forward to a good week on the track and next weeks game.

Darren and lan

YEAR II'S

Coach: **Brad** Assistant Coach: **John Ottoway**

Manager: **Karen Thomas**

Great to kick off the season at last and blow all the cobwebs out with a solid four quarter effort, wasteful in front of goals early we straightened up to record a good win.

With a host of new players and the return of some old players the teamwork was pleasing although this week will be a true indication where we are at against a very strong High Wycombe side, looking forward to the challenge.

Brad, John, Karen and Charles



SOMETHING TO ADD?

If you have anything you would like to contribute to the newsletter; photos, news, birthday/anniversary milestones?

(Space permitting)

Please email by 6pm Monday to

Jeff Mullen President: president@belmontjfc.com)

Delta rocking her BJFC jumper!
Thanks for the pic Vikki McPherson



Which team holds the record for the highest score ever recorded in VFL/AFL history?

CAN YOU SPOT THE 7 DIFFERENCES:





PLEASE REMEMBER

- · We are kids
- Our coaches are volunteers
- The umpires are human
- We don't play in the big league















Find the Answers on our Facebook page, next week....

LOOKING FOR SOMEWHERE TO GET OR KEEP FIT?

Call into to see Chad @ The Crossfit Chamber and mention you're a member of the BJFC family and you'll receive a free trial. Chad and the Crossfit Chamber Coaches all strive not only to deliver the best methods for improving your training performance; but also improving your performance in life and fill you with confidence to tackle the daily tasks and challenges that you are constantly presented with. They even have specialist kids classes run by qualified and experienced coaches, so get down and check them out.

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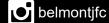
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